It is generally thought that bach clors should either be taxed or segre-

Boy wonders are all right, provided they do not become premature Old Fogies.

"What makes the plain girl pretty?" asks somebody, and the answer's

As a perspiration-producer, pushing the lawnmower is even better exercise than snow shoveling.

A Semitic temple has been discovered which goes back farther than the recollection of the oldest resident

As to Mr. Brandegee, the new senator from Connecticut, both parts of his name have a familiar sound about

"Do not lead a double life," says Ella Wheeler Wilcox. But surely she would not have everybody lead a sin-

A 14-year-old boy is practicing law in New York. This looks an infringement on the rights of our run-down politicians. Never argue with a man who disa-

grees with you. Congratulate your-

self because of your superior wisdom and let it go at that. Word comes from Pittsburg that there's trouble in the stogey trust.

Has somebody been putting real tobacco in the torches? Whisky may not be "property," according to the Kansas supreme court, but it has made many a man feel as

though he owned the earth. One of the sons of the late William C. Whitney is building a \$75,000 fence around his country home. The tax rate on fences must be low where he

Hves.

This proposition to have a "sane Fourth of July" ought surely to be approved, if only for the reason that the other kind drives so many people

Burglars have jus, cobbed the home of an author. They escaped without losing anything, as the author was not at home when they

When Mr. Baer says "there is no sentiment in the coal business" he overlooks the lively sentiments entertained and frequently expressed by the consumers.

If it is true that King Alfonso speaks six languages, he ought not to be at a loss for words for a proposal when he gets his eye on the right girl.

The Chicago inter Ocean notes that the modern "sucker" is not exclusive-The innocent city man will bite at a bare hook when a farmer is suspicious.

The Boston Globe asserts that "using the typewriter is in many respects a kindergarten exercise." may be so in Boston, but not all places are so cultured.

It is encouraging to read in a head-Ime in the financial column that the supply of money is steadily increasing, even though your lower righthand vest pocket doesn't look that Why.

Queen Elena's baby loudly demands regular meals, whereupon italy is inclined to believe he is "just a common boy," Until the little fellow learns to be afraid of a bomb, let him enjoy himself.

A Pennsylvania judge declares that he never heard of or saw a "kitty. Wonder if he thinks he can put that "bluff" through? Or is it really a case of justice being not only blind,

A New York woman has started a school for the training of children in has been rapid. Range grass espe-"don'ts." She must have got her inspiration from some of the homes she has visited.

The girl who wears hoopskirts can never sit in the parlor and spoon with her young man. The distance is too great.-Albany Times Union. And yet there were marriages thirty-five or forty years ago.

A Pennsylvania town of 6,000 in habitants has just erected its first church, though it has been in existence for 130 years. Evidently it has had no occasion to pray for its mayors and aldermen in public.

Marie Corelli says she is in favor of the simple life and Hall Caine announces that novels are better than sermons. Marie and Hall still believe in going to almost any kind of trouble for the purpose of being interest-

A Nebraska woman discovered that, owing to an error of the court, she had been divorced from her infast son and her husband placed in her custody. Why does not that give her an excellent opportunity to chastise her husband? He probably deserves it.

# **NEW MEXICO NEWS SUMMARY**

New Automobile Line.

Dr. Thomas M. Michaels of Torrance spent Thursday in Santa Fe on busi-ness. He has been a resident of Torrance for three years and is thoroughly acquainted with the surrounding country. The town aiready shows improvements on account of the expected building of the Eastern railway of New Mexico, which will cross the El Paso & Northeastern road at that point and also connect there with the Santa Fe Central. "One of the greatest things for my section," said the doctor, has been the establishment of the auomobile line between Torrance and Roswell. Vehicles have commenced to run regularly and are now making the trip daily, going and coming in about eight hours.

"It is expected that with improvements of the road between the two towns the time will be cut down to six or seven hours. The fare is \$10, which, considering that the distance is 101% miles between the two points, is very The automobiles now making the low. trip have been patronized to the fullest capacity and it is believed that the business will increase so as to necessitate an increase in the number of vehicles. This will be done just as soon as the company owning the automobiles finds it can do so profitably and this will be within a few weeks. The road is straight across a level range of country and is being improved constantly, although it is a very good natural road already.

"There are at present no stopping places on the line, although there are cattle and sheep ranches to the right and left of it. The company expects to put in several stopping places where meals will be served and passengers taken care of, as well as for use in case of emergency. Heretofore if passengers from Roswell wanted to go to any towns in the central part of the territory on the Santa Fe railway system, they either had to go from Roswell to Pecos City on the Pecos Valley & Northeastern railroad, a distance of about 180 miles, from Pecos City to El Paso on the Texas Pacific railroad, a distance of 276 miles, and from El Paso to whatever towns in the territory they wanted to reach, a da ance of several hundred miles; or they could make the northern trip by going to Trinidad via the Santa Fe, from Trinidad to Amarilla, via the Colorado & Southern railroad, and from Amarilla to Roswell via the Pecos Valley & Northeastern. This, with stoppage, etc., took up a space of time of about two days and two nights, provided there were no delays or inter-ruptions in train service. Via the automobile line passengers, say, from Santa Fe will leave here at noon, reach Torrance the same evening, re main there over night and get to Roswell the secton afternoon about 4 o'clock, saving money, travel, time and expense. It looks as if the automobile line will develop much business, and in the near future will carry mail and express from the central parts of New Mexico to Roswell and other points in the Pecos valley."—Santa Fe New

### Military Cadets Graduated.

The commencement exercises of the New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell were concluded May 24th. Cadet R. H. Crews of Hillsboro, New Mexico, delivered an able valedictory address, Judge William H. Pope addressed the cadets on the subject of "Opportunities." The medal in the collegiate department was won by A. E. Brownell of Ely. Minnesota, and the preparatory medal by John C. Arrington of Canadian, Texas. The following cadets received gold medals in the inter-society debate:

W. E. Talbot of Albuquerque, New Mexico, Shaw of Las Vegas, D. Kennard of Cleburne, Texas; G. H. Hart of Cleburne, Texas.

Cadets R. H. Crews and C. E. Kunz were presented with a commission as second lieutenant in the militia of New Mexico by Adjt. Gen. A. P. Tarkington of Santa Fe. The following cadets received diplomas:

W. M. Bell, Raton; A. E. Brownell, Ely, Minnesota; R. H. Crews, Hillsboro, New Mexico; H. M. Dow, Lakewood, New Mexico; C. R. Dwyer, Taos, New Mexico; C. E. Kunz, Albuquerque, New Mexico; E. A. Lohman, Las Cruces, New Mexico; L. C. Morse, Santa Rosa, New Mexico; W. G. Paden, White Oaks, New Mexico; D. M. Shaw, Las Vegas, New Mexico; S. R. Smith, Roswell, New Mexico; J. A. Young, Gallup, New Mexico,

### New Mexico Crop Bulletin.

The crop bulletin for New Mexico, issued May 23d, says that showers are needed in upland and eastern plains districts, but generally moisture is abundant elsewhere and streams are running high. The growth of crops which there is to be no discipline, no clally shows fine growth and stock of all kinds is improving steadily. Losses have ceased in northeastern counties, Lambing shows a large per cent, of increase and shearing is about finished in the central counties. The calf crop is light thus far, but cattlemen expect a good increase later. The first cutting of altalfa is well along in southern counties and is beginning in the central counties with a large crop. Frost has thinned fruit somewhat in the northern counties, especially in Union and San Juan counties. Straw berries are being marketed in the lower Pecos valley. Sheepmen are complaining of the loss of large numers of sheep from poisoning from a new weed that is appearing on the range.

### G. A. R. Appointments.

Jacob Weltmer, department commander of the New Mexico Grand Army of the Republic, has announced his department appointments as follows:

Assistant adjutant and assistant quartermaster general, J. P. Victory of Santa Fe; judge advocate, Alva Page of Roswell; inspector general, C. H. McHenry of Farmington; chief mustering officer, Elmer A, Chaffee of

Las Cruces. The headquarters have been established at Santa Fe.

Governor Wants Single Statehood.

A Santa Fe dispatch of May 24th says: Governor Otero to-day sent the following telegram to W. S. Sturgis, member of the Republican national committee, in answer to an invitation to attend the anti-joint statehood convention at Phoenix on Saturday of this week:

"I appreciate fully your very kind invitation and would be with you at Phoenix on Saturday, but official duties prevent. Can say, however, that I am heartily with you in spirit, thoroughly sympathizing in your move-ment. While New Mexico has a most friendly feeling for Arizona, we will appose jointure. I have never halted or hesitated in my declaration for single statehood for both territories. This, I believe, is the sentiment of a very large majority of the people.

"Hon, Solomon Luna, our member of the national committee, and Hon. H. O. Bursom, chairman of the Republican central committee, are of same opinion. We will join with you

in opposition at the proper time. "Arizona is large enough, prosperous enough, and rich enough to maintain and support a separate state government, without being annexed to any territory. We know the good people of Arizona believe the same condition exists as to New Mexico. May great success attend your convention is my earnest wish."

In the District Court at Alamogordo May 26th, a jury acquitted several railroad strikers arraigned under an ancient Ku Klux law. No case had been tried under this law for years Albert Rowland, Thomas L. Clark and others were arraigned on a charge of conspiring against the Northeastern railroad, against whom they were striking.

#### Irrigation Treaty.

The El Paso Times claims to be in receipt of inside information from Washington to the effect that the State Department is preparing a treaty to be submitted to the Mexican government to settle the dispute over the waters of the Rio Grande. The State Department recognizes that Mexico has equitable rights in this matter and proposes to offer reparation for the damages Mexican irrigators have suffered on account of the river being drained by irrigation companies in the United States. When the Department of the Interior took up the matter of the Engle dam to be constructed under the reclamation act, it discovered that this government had already, by a point resolution of Congress, recog nized Mexico's claim and pledged itself to prevent the construction of any dam or reservoir to divert any of the waters of the Rio Grande until Mexico's claims had been satisfied so the matter was referred to the State Department,

The treaty now being prepared provides that the dam at Engle shall be built, and that the Mexican irrigators be supplied with a sufficient quantity of water from it to irrigate all the land that was formerly irrigated on the Mexican side from the Rio Grande, And the Mexican government is to accept this service in liquidation of all Mexican claims for damages against the United States.

### Will Fight Extradition.

A Roswell dispatch of May 20th says: Daude Patrick, a well-known young man of the Pecos valley, who has been engaged in the well drilling business, has been arrested on a warrant from Hillsboro, Texas, charging him with perjury and false swearing in the celebrated Bennett murder case in Hill county, Texas, in 1901.

Patrick, who is one of the bestmown citizens of the valley, declares he is innocent and will fight extradition, as he declares that it will put him to unnecessary expense to return to Texas. He has prepared an affidavit, copies going to Governor Lanham of Texas and Governor Otero of New Mexico, claiming that he is being persecuted and asking that a requisition be refused. He also has circulated a paper among the leading residents of Pecos valley securing signatures testifying to his character here and it has been sent to the governors of Texas and New Mexico.

Patrick was married six months ago to a Miss Menn of Dexter. The arrest has caused a sensation here.

### Drowned in a Ditch.

Ignicio Lucero, three-year-old son of Jose Lucero, employed at the county jail in Albuquerque, was drowned May 26th at Big Acequia, near his home, and his body was not recovered for several hours, when it about 300 yards below the place where he had fallen in.

The little fellow had been on a visit to his grandparents living near by and on his way home fell off a small bridge which crosses the Acequia. He was not missed for some time, but a man passing later in the day saw the body floating on the surface and took it from the water. The child had been dead several hours.

A Roswell dispatch of May 22nd says: Mark Smith the nine-year-old son of Allen Smith, manager of the Stockard ranch, was killed last evening by being crushed between two freight The boy was assisting his CRIS. father in leading hogs when the train started to back. He was caught and his head and body crushed. His right breast was crushed and the head was literally scalped. In spite of his injuries the boy lived forty minutes and was conscious.

"Dad" Archey, the well known Pecos Valley & Notheastern engineer, met with an accident May 21st. at Guadalupe, his right thumb being cut off his hand. He is the oldest engineer on the Pecos Valley & Northeastern, and in his years of service this is his first accident.

The Maxwell Supply Company was incorporated May 22nd. The incorporators are: A. L. Mix, A. L. Hollenbach, Lewis C. Griggs, M. V. Bruggen of Maxwell City and H. D. Masten of Chico. The headquarters are to be at Maxwell City, Colfax county, and the capitalization \$25,000.

Campaign Against Mange.

An Albuquerque dispatch of May th says: Will C. Barnes of Las Ve-17th says: gas, secretary of the Territorial Cattle Sanitary Board, was in the city to-day and arranged with Dr. Louis Metsker government live stock inspector, plans by which a successful campaign for the eradication of mange among the cattle of the territory will com-

Territorial and government inspec-tors will work in harmony. All cattle affected will be dipped and vats are being constructed at various ranches in the district affected for this pur-Cattle in southern New Mexico are not infected but, only those in counties bordering on the Texas, line. Barnes reports that cattle are in excellent condition at present, although the severe winter in the northern counties resulted in losses to cattlemen. He predicts that thousands of cattle will be shipped to Kansas and Nebraska within the next few weeks.

Incorporation papers have been filed at Santa Fe by the Association Beneficiaria de Algodones of Algodones, Sandoval county.

The Territorial Board of Dentistry reccutly granted license to the follow ing to practice in the territory: J. L. Johnson of Hutchinson, Minnesota; T. H. Williams, Chickasha, Indian Territory; J. A. Duff, Farmington, New Mexico.

A Santa Fe dispatch of May 24th says: Word was received to-day that Aloys Leibert, one of the best known American residents of northern New Mexico, died at noon at Taos, where he was engaged in business. A widow and several children survive him.

The Carson well at Artesia, which is said to be the second best artesian well in that valley, will have an eightinch casting put in to replace the one now in. When this larger casing is placed it is thought that no well in that part of the country will excel it.

Prof. R. R. Grant of Los Angeles has been appointed principal of the high school at Las Vegas, Prof. R. R. Larkin, the former principal, having been appointed superintendent. Miss Edith Lyle of Sigourney, Michigan, has been appointed to a position in the high

Hon. Carlos Sanchez, ex-county commissioner of Benalillo county, died at his home at Ranchos de Atrisco May 26th, after an illness of about two years, from cancer of the stomach. The deceased was a well-known Republican politician. He leaves a widow and four children.

In order to push to completion the Gamino Del Real and aid in building good roads entering at Santa Fe, a good roads league has been organized at Santa Fe. Frank Owen was elected president, R. C. Garrett vice president, N. Salmon treasurer, and Levy A. Hughes secretary.

Elections will be held throughout the territory on Monday, June 5th, for the naming of one school director for a term of three years. In new districts three directors shall be elected, and in districts where vacancies have been filled by appointment a directir or directors shall be elected to fill out the unexpired term.

The Taos Valley Land Company has been incorporated by N. B. Laughlin of Santa Fe, Arthur B. Hanby of Taos, Edwin G. Potter of Minneapolis, Minnesota; Schuyler S. Olds of Lansing, Michigan, and Jesse B. Levy of Kansas City, Missouri, who are also the directors. The capital stock is \$1,000, 000. The principal place of business is

The secretary of interior has apoved ritory of New Mexico from the public lands, as provided under its enabling net: Clayton district, 440 acres for public buildings; Las Cruces district, 40 acres for permanent reserves and \$00 acres for penitentiary; Santa Fe district, 2,672 acres for permanent re-

serves. At Santa Fe May 24th Sheriff John W. Owen of Lincoln county lodged in the penitentiary for safe keeping Rosallo Emilio, an Italian, sentenced to be hanged at Lincoln June 2d for murder, but who has an appeal to the territorial Supreme Court pending. Bonifacio Bacs, aged thirty-five years, was brought from Lincoln to serve one year in the penitentiary for burglary.

The Singer Sewing Machine Company has filed a copy of its incorporation papers at Santa Fe, the incorporators and directors being Douglas Alexander and Thomas R. Hananburg of New York City, and Charles P. Coleman of Englewood, New Jersey, The capital stock is \$1,000,000, the New Mexico headquarters are at Albuquerque, and the New Mexico representative is Harry P. Owens.

The property of the Hyde Exploring Expedition in Farmington and Aztec San Juan county, has been purchased by A. B. McGaffey, an extensive Indian trader. The property consists of a large building at Farmington, erected three years ago at a cost of several thousand dollars, several other store buildings and some town lots. In addition, Mr. McGaffey has purchased the flouring mill and fruit evaporation plant at Aztec.

John Reynolds, colored, pleaded guilty in the District Court at Las Vegas May 23d to the charge of murdering his wife. He had originally pleaded not guilty, but after the eviience was partially submitted, his attorneys advised him to withdraw his plea and make it guilty of murder in the second degree. This plea the court accepted. The maximum penalty is life sentence. Reynolds became jealous of his wife and split her skull with a hatchet. He fled to Socorro, where he was captured.

The Territorial Fair is to have a new attraction this year in the way of a competitive fleece exhibit. It is the plan to have every sheep man in New Mexico and Arizona save his best fleece and send it to the fair.

Two big cattle deals have just been completed in Chaves county, both sales being made through T. D. Andrews of Fort Worth, who has been in Roswell for the past week. Oscar Keeling bought of the Slaughter interests 3,500 head of two year-olds for his ranch in Wyoming, and F. H. Evans bought 2,000 head of the same bunch for his Running Water ranch in Kansas.— Santa Fe New Mexican

# KILLED BY EXPLOSION

DENVER MAN BLOWN TO ATOMS

Merritt B. Walley Instantly Killed by Nitroglycerine or Dynamite on Capitol Hill in Denver.

Denver, May 25.-By a terrible and mysterious explosion Merritt B. Wal-ley of 1716 Marion street was literally blown to atoms at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The tragedy occurred on the vacant lot at Colfax avenue and Emerson street.

Walley's two children, Edna, aged thirteen, and Raymond, aged eleven, both pupils in the Emerson school, on Ogden street, between Fourteenth and Colfax avenues, heard the deafening roar and shuddered. Mrs. Walley was awaiting the return of her husband at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. E. Backensto, 919 East Seventeenth avve-Backensto, 919 East Seventeenth aveexplosion, as did nearly every one in the city, and with her sister she rushed into the front yard and watched the cloud of dust vanish in the air.

The news that Walley was the victim of the deadly explosive came to the wife and children with staggering force. Completely stunned by the sad affair, Mrs. Walley is prostrated at her

Whether the explosion was due to dynamite or nitroglycerine, whether it was purely an accident or a premeditated suicide, and if the former, how it occurred, are the questions that are yet puzzling the police and coroner.

Walley came to Denver from Ward. Colorado, to join his family last Monday. He had been working steadily for several months in Ward, and had secured a position in this city as engineer at the Tabor block, where he was to go to work last night. He was in excellent health and of a cheery disposition. He was deeply attached to his family, and is said to have been in no financial difficulties. He owns property at Leadville, which is profitably rented, and also owns some lots in this city and has an account at the Columbia Savings Bank. Accordingly, his friends say, all possible motives for suicide are lacking.

Yesterday morning he started out from his home, in company with his wife, for the purpose of looking at a house at the corner of Twelfth and Pennsylvania avenues, which they contemplating renting. They walked together as far as the home of Mr. and Mrs. Backensto, on Seventeenth avenue, when Mrs. Walley complained of being tired.

"You go on and look at the house, I will stay here and visit for a while," said Mrs. Walley. "All right," replied Walley. "I will

go on and you stay here and rest. I will stop for you on my way back." Mrs. Walley went into the Backensto house and sat chatting cheerfully with her sister. Walley went down to Emerson street and turned toward Sixteenth avenue. He had no package with him that might conceal dynamite. In less than five minutes the explosion occurred. It is thought that on reaching the cut-off on Emerson street, near Colfax avenue, Walley took the path across the lot. Noticing the can or odd-looking object, he kicked it. There was a flash, a roar and Walley's re-

#### mains were blown in all directions. Colorado Soldiers' Monument.

Denver, May 25 .- As soon after the Memorial Day exercises are over as is possible the commission having in charge the erection of the monument to Colorado veterans who died in the Donald, Department Commander Geo. W. Curfman and John D. Howland, the artist. A few days ago the governor notified the other members that the money was available for the monument. and that plans for its erection should be taken up. Yesterday Commander Curfman and Mr. Howland called upon the governor and it was decided to call a meeting as soon after Memorial Day as possible. Fifteen thousand dollars was appro

priated by the Legislature for this purpose. The law provides that the commission must first select a site on the capitol grounds for the monument and then advertise for designs. When the designs are submitted the

most suitable will be chosen by the commission and the contract let for the stone work. It is likely that the site selected will be the one upon which the flagpole in memory of the Colorado soldiers who

#### died in the Spanish War now stands. May Appeal to Congress.

Denver, Colo., May 25.-The Republican this morning prints the following special dispatch from Washington: "If Secretary Hitchcock decides to build an irrigation storage reservoir in Gore canon, on the Grand river, Colorado, and thereby forces David H. Moffat to van his Salt Lake railroad through the canon at a point above the level of the reservoir, there is going to be a fight in Congress.

This is Mr. Moffat's view at present, and from assurances he has received, he is satisfied that if necessary it will be possible to secure a special law authorizing his road to have the right of way through Gore canon without interference by the reclamation service of the Interior Department. "Secretary Hitchcock is apparently

opposed to abandoning the idea of building a storage reservoir in Gore canon, regardless of what effect such action will have on the Moffat railroad.

### Money for Portland Display.

Denver, May 25 .- E. Lyman White, Portland Fair commissioner, who has been touring the state with the hope of securing a fund of \$15,000 to exploit Colorado at the Exposition, returned yesterday sanguine of success. He saw the commissioners of Summit, Lake, Pueblo and El Paso countles, and all, with the exception of El Paso, pressed themselves as favorable to his

It is hoped by Mr. White that each of the counties in the state will subscribe \$250 and that other funds will be secured by private subscription. The money will be used for an educational, horticultural and general display showing the resources and advantages of

EVERY WALK IN LIFE

A. A. Boyce, a farmer, living three and a half miles from Trenton, Mo., says: "A severe cold settled in my kidneys and developed s o quickly that I was obliged to lay off 2 work on ac-

count of the aching in my back and sides. For a time I was un able to walk at all, and every makeshift I tried and all the medicine I took had not the slightest effect. My back continued to grow weaker until I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and I must say I was more than surprised and gratified to notice the backache disappearing gradually until it finally stopped."

Doan's Kidney Pills sold by all dealers or by mail on receipt of price, 50 cents per box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

A sympathetic strike is one in which the emotional artisan quits laying bricks and goes to throwing them,

### TEA

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#### PIETY AND DOUGHNUTS.

A baker in a town near Boston has asked for a license to sing in the streets. He peddles doughnuts, and a hymn goes with every one. Certainly, he ought to be allowed to sing as much as he and his customers like. For his object is to evangelize the community, and when he is about to deliver a doughnut he delivers a short talk on the need of salvation and a stanza of some uplifting verse. It should go without saying that he is a conscientious baker and gives full weight and plenty of sugar; that he does not fry his products in rancid lard, or dust it with whitewash, or put the fresh ones on top when he is to sell them by the peck, leaving the gnarly nubbins at the bottom of the measure Therefore, he predisposes the recinient to thankfulness and sanctity, and nobody on his beat has any objection to mixing dough and religion. It might be well if the custom could extend itself. If Mr. Rockefeller would only sing hymns as he draws oil for his customers, instead of preserving the hymns for Sunday, and if Mr. Carnegie to Colorado veterans who died in the would accompany the hammering of Civil War will meet and decide upon plates with gleeful hallelujahs, there the details of the work. This com- might be less feeling against the mission is composed of Governor Mc- trusts, and if the walking delegate would go about his work with a psalm instead of a jimmy and a blackjack we could almost like him. If piety can be associated with doughnuts, once the symbol of dyspepsia, what can't it associate with?—Brooklyn Eagle,

### BOOK OF BOOKS.

## Over 30,000,000 Published.

An Oakland lady who has a taste for good literature, tells what a happy time she had on "The Road to Wellville." She says:

"I drank coffee freely for eight years before I began to perceive any evil effects from it. Then I noticed that I was becoming very nervous, and that my stomach was gradually losing the power to properly assimilate my food. In time I got so weak that I dreaded to leave the housefor no reason whatever but because of the miserable condition of my nerves and stomach. I attributed the trouble to anything in the world but coffee, of course. I dosed myself with medicines, which in the end would leave me in a worse condition than at first. I was most wretched and discouraged-not 30 years old and feeling that life was a failure!

"I had given up all hope of ever enjoying myself like other people, till one day I read the little book "The Road to Wellville." It opened my eyes, and taught me a lesson I shall never forget and cannot value too highly. I immediately quit the use of the old kind of coffee and began to drink Postum Food Coffee. I noticed the beginning of an improvement in the whole tone of my system, after only two days' use of the new drink, and in a very short time realized that I could go about like other people without the least return of the nervous dread that formerly gave me so much trouble. In fact my nervousness disappeared entirely and has never returned, although it is now a year that I have been drinking Postum Food Coffee. And my stomach is now

like iron-nothing can upset it! "Last week, during the big Conclave in San Francisco, I was on the go day and night without the slightest fatigue; and as I stood in the immense crowd watching the great parade that lasted for hours, I thought to myself, 'This strength is what Postum Food Coffee has given me!" Name given by Postum Co., Battle

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